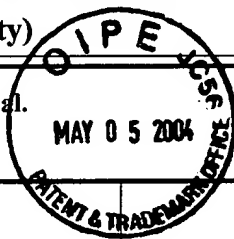


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
12558

In Re Application Of: **INGEMAR J. COX, et al.**



Serial No.  
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Invention:

**METHOD AND DEVICE FOR INSERTING AND AUTHENTICATING A DIGITAL  
SIGNATURE IN DIGITAL DATA**

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Technology Center 2100

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 9, 2004 above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: April 9, 2004  
Date

until: May 9, 2004  
Date

The fee for the extension of time is **\$110** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **19-1013 SSMP**  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-1013 SSMP**

Signature

Dated: **April 30, 2004**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on April 30, 2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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